(ग) जी, नहीं ।

(घ) सीमित संसाधनों के कारण वार्षिक योजनाओं में बसों की खरीद के लिए सुलभ कराई गई निधियों का उपयोग पुरानी बसों को बदलने के लिए किया जा रहा है और इसलिए बेड़े में कोई वास्तविक वृद्धि नहीं हुई है। दिल्ली परिवहन निगम के बेड़े में पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान रिप्लेसमेंट खाते में जोड़ी गई नई बसें और किया गया खर्च नीचे दिया गया है :

(लाख रुपए)

अवधि	बसों की संख्या	किया गया खर्च
1988–89	396	1453.36
1989–90	522	1550.22
1990–91	103	2407.72

यात्रियों की जरूरतों को पूरा करने के लिए दिल्ली प्रशासन ने प्राइवेट प्रचालकों को 3000 स्टेज कैरिज परमिट देने की एक योजना शुरू की है। यात्रियों की मांग को पूरा करने के लिए सरकार ने दिल्ली परिवहन निगम के किराए ढांचे से अधिक किराए पर प्राइवेट प्रचालकों को 100 स्पेशल स्टेज कैरिज परमिट देने की एक योजना की भी सिफारिश की है।

(ङ) जी, हां। भारत के नियंत्रक महालेखा परीक्षक की रिपोर्ट में उल्लिखित प्रणाली विषयक कमियों को दूर करने और ऐसी कमियों की पुनरावृत्ति रोकने के लिए उपाय करने के लिए दिल्ली परिवहन निगम को निर्देश जारी किए गए हैं।

DTC Bus Queue Shelters

3718. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the D.T.C. had entrusted the work of construction of 320 bus queue shelters in Delhi to the C.P.W.D. in December 1990 ;

(b) if so, what is the number of such shelters constructed so far by the C.P.W.D. ; and

(c) the total expenditure incurred so far by Government in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 303 bus queue shelters have been constructed so far.

(c) DTC had deposited Rs. 97,00,916.00 with the C.P.W.D. pending adjustment of final Bill.

National Highways in A. P

3719. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 384 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 26th February, 1992 and state :

(a) whether it is a fact that National Highways in Andhra Pradesh are comparatively worse than in some other States ;

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to ensure better maintenance of National Highways in Andhra Pradesh ; and

(c) whether any pilot project is likely to be started with respect to National Highways in Andhra Pradesh ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) and (b) National Highways in Andhra Pradesh are generally being kept in a traffic worthy condition. Development and maintenance of National Highways is a continuous process and funds are allocated for this purpose depending upon *inter-se*-priority of works

on all India basis and overall availability of funds etc.

(c) No, Sir.

Claims under Central Road Fund

3720. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the amounts of claims of different State Governments pending with the Central Government under Central Road Fund ; and

(b) by when these are likely to be cleared ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER) : (a) A statement (See below) indicating the amount due to various State Governments under Central Road Fund is attached.

(b) The Schemes under Central Road Fund of various State Governments could not be approved as the State have either not sent any proposals or the proposals are under correspondence.

Statement

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Name of State/UT	Amount available upto 31-3-92 under Central Road Fund
1	2	3
1	Andhra Pradesh	—
2	Arunachal Pradesh	45.66
3	Assam	—
4	Bihar	—
5	Goa	70.62
6	Gujarat	—
7	Haryana	—
8	Himachal Pradesh	30.49
9	Jammu & Kashmir	14.66
10	Karnataka	5.57
11	Kerala	28.00
12	Madhya Tradesh	8.70
13	Maharashtra	—
14	Manipur	17.88
15	Meghalaya	0.66
16	Mizoram.	—
17	Nagaland	53.81
18	Orissa	—
19	Punjab	399.00
20	Rajasthan	—
21	Sikkim	39.17
22	Tamil Nadu	9.35
23	Tripura	—
24	Uttar Pradesh	—
25	West Bengal	—
26	Andaman & Nicobar Island	8.02
27	Chandigarh	38.21
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	3.19
29	Daman & Diu	2.10
30	Delhi	869.42
31	Lakshadweep	—
32	Pondicherry	64.58

Accidents due to Negligence of DTC Drivers

3721. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a doctor at the AIIMS in the capital has pointed out that a number of fracture cases reported in hospitals are of the people hurt while boarding or alighting from DTC buses ;